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Albion International, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nevada, having a business address of 101 North Main Street, Clearfield, UT 84015, owner of the all right, title and interest in the invention entitled **HYPOALLERGENIC METAL AMINO ACID CHELATES AND METAL AMINO ACID CHELATE-CONTAINING COMPOSITONS**, the specification of which was filed on 4/21/2004 as THORPE NORTH & WESTERN, LLP Docket No. 22306, and given U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/828,827; and empowered to prosecute the U.S. and foreign applications on behalf of the inventor(s), hereby appoints as its attorneys and/or patent agents the law firm of THORPE NORTH & WESTERN, LLP, having a business address of 8180 South 700 East, Suite 200, Sandy, Utah 84070, and VAUGHN W. NORTH, Registration No. 27,930; M. WAYNE WESTERN, Registration No. 22,788; CLIFTON W. THOMPSON, Registration No. 36,947; GARRON M. HOBSON, Registration No. 41,073; PETER M. DE JONGE, Registration No. 47,521; WEILI CHENG, Registration No. 44,609; DAVID R. MCKINNEY, Registration No. 42,868; STEVE M. PERRY, Registration No. 45,357; GARY P. OAKESON, Registration No. 44,266; DAVID W. OSBORNE, Registration No. 44,989; JASON R. JONES, Registration No. 51,008; ERIK S. ERICKSEN, Registration No. 48,954; JOHN W.L. OGILVIE, Registration No. 37,987; CHRISTOPHER L. JOHNSON, Registration No. 46,809; NATHAN W. WINESETT, Registration No. 55,733; and TODD B. ALDER, Registration No. 54,598; all with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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